









## Milton Junction News

Milton Junction, Feb. 8.—The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society held an excellent meeting at the home of W. H. Gates, Wednesday afternoon. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

The meeting at the W. C. T. U. building at 3 P. M. was held by the ladies of St. Mary's Catholic church last evening was well attended.

Heanna Harte was a business caller at Janesville yesterday.

Mrs. Ed. Rice of Edgerton was a guest of relatives here yesterday.

Ida Oehrke has been spending a few days with her brother, Chris. Oehrke, and family, at Lima.

Mrs. David Barlass of Janesville is spending a few days with Mrs. Mary Paul.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church held a business meeting with Mrs. Hazel Driver last evening, after which a social time was enjoyed and light refreshments served by the hostess.

Principal J. M. Gahagan, Paul Wick, Leo Manogue, and Walter Gassner, the winners in the county stock building contest, are in Madison today to attend the contest there.

S. S. Pierce was a business visitor at Janesville, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wentworth of Edgerton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hull, Wednesday.

Mrs. Sidney Mabson, E. C. McGowan, M. A. Richardson, P. R. Morris and daughter, Miss Lois, and Mrs. J. A. Madden were Janesville visitors Wednesday.

W. H. Smith was in Whitewater on business yesterday.

Miss M. E. Hoesner of Janesville was a guest of Miss Mary Paul on Wednesday.

Rush Bullis of Eau Claire spent yesterday with friends here.

## Orfordville News

Orfordville, Feb. 7.—Otto Gaarder, who has been unable to hit the place of the bank for the past three weeks, on account of illness, has sufficiently recovered to resume his work.

A new revolving electric sign depicting the front of John Oehrke's barber shop, and attracts the attention of the passer-by.

Word has been received from Jennie Day, who is spending the winter in Colorado, that the thermometer has been as low as forty-five degrees below zero.

Rent & Lotthus are moving their stock of general and grocery into the new Christian building that has recently been fitted up for them. They began work on Wednesday morning.

The tobacco warehouse has been closed since the latter part of the week, owing to the shortage of tobacco.

Tom Johnson of Brodhead is spending a few days in the village and assisting Rent & Lotthus in transferring their stock of merchandise to their new quarters.

A miscellaneous shower was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gilbertson at their residence on Wednesday afternoon, in honor of their recent marriage. There was a large attendance and many useful and valuable presents were received.

## BOY SCOUT MOVE CELEBRATES ITS SEVENTH BIRTHDAY TODAY.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

New York, Feb. 8.—One hundred and ninety-seven thousand boy scouts in the United States today are celebrating the birth of the Boy Scout movement seven years ago. The rapid growth of the organization is shown by the fact that there were 150,000 members a year ago. More than 50,000 Boy Scouts are engaged in volunteer work in many capacities throughout the country.

The object of the scout movement is the development of practical citizenship in American boys. One of the most recent developments of the movement is the National Department of Education under Leon Webster Barclay. This includes the development of correspondence courses for the instruction of Scout leaders. Barclay is a graduate of Bethany College, Canada, and of Yale and has lectured at Columbia and Toronto universities.

## MILKMEN WILL ORGANIZE IN KENOSHA COUNTY

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Kenosha, Feb. 8.—An attempt is being made to organize Kenosha county milk producers into a big marketing company to handle milk and cream products from the Chicago district, which includes territory within a radius of 200 miles of the metropolis. The company is to be capitalized at \$500,000.

## DELAVAN

Delavan, Feb. 7.—Frank M. Mitchell, whose home is on Racine street, is critically ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Tent are moving from their present home in the Park house on Wisconsin street to 15 Bradley avenue.

Mrs. Kate Nelson of Rockford has been with her mother Mrs. P. A. Nelson for the past week. Mrs. Nelson is now on the gain after a severe illness.

P. P. Showers and Ralph Dunwiddie and Madison passengers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Boughton left for Florida last Monday.

Several of Delavan's young people have finished their examinations at Madison university, have arrived on a mid-winter vacation.

Among those who have arrived so far are Donald Sage, Claire Congdon, Leo Sage, Garin Gregory, Lawrence Cary, Gladys Showers and Mary Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Willis are both ill with the grippe.

Supper and Mrs. Tormohlen are moving to Dr. Rodman's house today, the doctor having taken up his residence with his daughter, Mrs. Ed. Topping.

The apartments vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Tormohlen in the Chesbro house will be occupied by Mrs. Sheldon and Mrs. Mink.

Word was received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. L. Spickerman, former Delavan residents, at their home in Beloit.

Walter Matheson and LaRue Stark will return here from their work in Milwaukee, respectively, to be present at the funeral of Mr. Beecker, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Hawver of Barnesville, Minn., will arrive also.

A pleasant social meeting was held by the Bluebell club in their rest rooms at the telephone office Tuesday evening. The club, which is composed of employees of the telephone exchange, will enjoy a sleigh ride to Beloit this evening.

Mrs. McMahon of Rockford was called here by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Spickerman.

Ground was broken this morning for the new building on the Delavan Condensory grounds.

Mrs. McMahon has arrived here from Rockford to care for her mother, Mrs. J. D. Spickerman, who is critically ill.

Ben Willis and wife are both confined to the house with the grippe.

The Catholic Girls' club held a delightful banquet at their regular meeting in the K. C. hall Tuesday evening. School will close on Friday to allow the teachers to attend teachers' convention.

The Royal Neighbors will hold a social meeting this evening.

Notice: The Gazette is on sale at Rustad's Drug Store, opposite the Post Office.

## KOSHKONONG

Koshkonong, Feb. 7.—The funeral of Mrs. Ben Ostrander was held from her late home at Otter Creek Saturday.

day afternoon, January 27. The house was filled with friends and neighbors. Rev. Thomas Sharpe of Milton Junction had charge of the services. Mrs. Dora Bernhart, Mrs. Doris Miller, Mrs. Clara Shuman and Herbert Robinson sang "Abide With Me" and "Asleep in Jesus." Among those from a distance who were present were Mr. and Mrs. George Winch of Whitewater, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hudson of Dakota and Mr. and Mrs. Hudson of Milwaukee. Mrs. Ostrander had been in poor health since the first of the year. She had lived here a long time and made many friends by her willingness to help in sickness and trouble. Her casket was covered with beautiful flowers. The remains were taken to Iowa for burial, accompanied by her husband and sons, Guy and Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Robinson are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steadman, at Eau Claire.

Miss Mary Black was a recent visitor at U. Miller's.

Mrs. Howard Morgan entertained the Som-Set club last week. Miss Alice Bassett will entertain the club this evening.

Alex. Shuman and sisters, Harriette and Caroline, went to Fort Atkinson one day last week to visit their sister, Mrs. Richard Haferman.

Mrs. Mary Robinson entertained the Ladies' Aid at dinner last Thursday. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Hettie Westrick; vice president, Mrs. Frank Shuman; secretary, Mrs. Mary Traynor; treasurer, Mrs. Anna Marquardt; work committee, Mrs. Ethel Traynor, Mrs. Treas. Marquardt, Mrs. Dora Barnhart.

## BRADFORD

Bradford, Feb. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. William Gutzmer visited in Whitewater the first of the week.

William Mawhinney of North Dakota, was calling on friends here last week.

Ed. Duthie went to Chicago Tuesday with a carload of stock.

Miss Evelyn Frost has returned from a visit with friends in Beloit. The many friends of J. R. Duthie are glad to hear of his continued improvement.

Mrs. Roy Tarrant entertained the Book Circle Tuesday. A delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock and the afternoon pleasantly spent in a social way. In the book contest Mrs. John Mawhinney was awarded first prize.

Clara Roehl froze her fingers coming to school last Thursday morning, but prompt treatment by her teacher, Mrs. Crippen, brought them through nicely.

The different members of the George Mortenson family, who have been suffering from la grippe, are able to be out again.

In a recent letter from Mr. and Mrs. George H. Royce, they write that they are very pleasantly situated for the winter at Biloxi, Miss., where flowers are blooming out of doors. They are thinking some of buying a home there.

Mr. Royce was elected president of the Tourist club, composed of members from many different states.

Word has been received by relatives of Marion Smith of Enid, Oklahoma, who resided here formerly, that he has been in poor health all winter and must undergo an operation.

## SOUTHWEST LIMA

Southwest Lima, Feb. 7.—One of the worst storms of the season was Sunday.

Everett Brown spent Thursday in Whitewater.

The auction at Christ Oehrke's Tuesday was well attended.

Mrs. J. J. Lackner and daughter, Miss Clara, spent Saturday in Milton Junction.

The frost is penetrating a great many cellars and there is a general complaint of dry cisterns in this vicinity.

Charles Marquardt was a caller at Henry Marquardt's Saturday.

**DARLEN**

Darlen, Feb. 7.—Monday evening the winning side of the ladies' bowling team were entertained by the losers, the "Evergreens," in a delightful manner. The twelve ladies came with masked costumes and all enjoyed an evening at bowling. Later an elegant luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. Charles Frey.

Henry Rockwell's team ran away Tuesday. He tied it in front of the Elmo Theatre, and they broke the strap by which they had been tied. They were stopped when they had run as far as S. T. Wheeler's. No serious damage was done.

About thirty-five couples attended the R. N. A. dance at Roy's Hall Tuesday evening. The music was furnished by the saxophone orchestra of Clinton.

The Mock-Sad-Alli Stock company will leave tomorrow for Elkhorn, after a three days' engagement at Reed's Opera House.

The Llanura society tried their luck at bowling Tuesday afternoon.

**It Will Pay You to Come 100 Miles to Attend This Sale.**

# BANKRUPT SALE

OF

## The (\$10,000) Ten Thousand Dollar Stock of The Laux Mercantile Co., of Fond du Lac, Wis.

The Appleton Specialty Co., has purchased the entire (\$10,000) ten thousand dollar bankrupt stock of The Laux Mercantile Co., of Fond du Lac, Wis. and will put part of same on sale at The Appleton Specialty Co's. Store 25 South River St. Norcross Block.

Janesville, Wis. This (\$10,000) ten thousand dollars worth of up-to-the minute merchandise was bought for about (40c) forty cents on the dollar, so you can imagine the awful slashing of prices at this big bankrupt sale

The stock consists of Men's and Young Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, Overcoats, Mackinaws, Pants, Underwear, Hats, Caps, Sweaters, Sox, Shirts, Raincoats, and a full and complete line of Shoes, and Rubbers for Men, Women and Children.

### Sale Starts Thursday Morning, and Continues Until Entire Stock is Sold

### Men's Suits

1 lot of Men's Suits, values to \$12.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$3.89
1 lot of Men's Suits, values to \$13.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$4.98
1 lot of Men's Suits, values to \$16.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$7.98
1 lot of Men's Suits, values to \$20.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$10.98

### Men's Underwear

1 lot of Men's Fleece Lined and Woolen Undershirts, values to \$1.00, Bankrupt Price.....	39c
1 lot of Men's Wool Underwear, values to \$1.50, Bankrupt Price.....	89c
1 lot of Men's Wool Underwear, values to \$2, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.23
1 lot of Men's Union Suits, values to \$1.25, Bankrupt Price.....	79c
Underwear for Women and Children for about Half Price.	

### Men's Dress Shoes

1 lot of Men's Dress Shoes, values to \$4.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.69
1 lot of Men's Dress Shoes, values to \$5, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.89

Men's Heavy Canvas Mitts at.....	6c
Men's Jersey Gloves at.....	8c
Men's Canvas Gloves at.....	8c

### Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

1 lot of Young Men's Overcoats, values to \$16.50, small sizes, Bankrupt Price.....	\$3.69
1 lot of Men's Overcoats, values to \$13.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$5.69
1 lot of Men's Overcoats, values to \$15.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$7.98
1 lot of Men's Overcoats, values to \$20.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$9.98

### Men's and Boys' Caps

1 lot of Men's Caps, values to 75c, Bankrupt Price.....	39c
1 lot of Men's Caps, values to \$1.00, Bankrupt Price.....	53c
1 lot of Boys' Caps, values to 50c, Bankrupt Price.....	19c
Men's Linen Collars, per dozen.....	25c
Children's 50c Stocking Caps at.....	19c

1 lot of Men's Work Shoes, values to \$3.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.98
1 lot of Men's Work Shoes, values to \$4, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.43

Men's 35c Wool Sox pair.....	17c
Men's 12½c Work Sox pair.....	8c
Men's 65c Mittens at.....	43c

### Men's and Boys' Mackinaws

1 lot of Men's Mackinaws, values to \$6.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$3.89
1 lot of Men's Mackinaws, values to \$7.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$4.98
1 lot of Men's Mackinaws, values to \$9.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$5.98
1 lot of Boys' Mackinaws, values to \$6.00, Bankrupt Prices \$2.89 and.....	\$3.89

### Men's Pants

1 lot of Men's Pants, values to \$2.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.29
1 lot of Men's Pants, values to \$3.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.89
1 lot of Men's Pants, values to \$4.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.79

### Rain Coats

1 lot of Mens' Rain Coats, values to \$3.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.98
1 lot of Men's Rain Coats, values to \$5.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.89

Men's 1-buckle Overshoes at.....	95c
Men's 4-buckle Overshoes at.....	\$1.98
Men's High Top Rubbers at.....	\$1.98

### Men's Boys' Sweaters

1 lot of Men's Sweaters, values to \$5.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.98
1 lot of Men's Sweaters, values to \$2.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.19
1 lot of Boys' Sweaters, values to \$2.00, Bankrupt Price.....	98c
1 lot of Boys' Sweaters, values to \$1.25, Bankrupt Price.....	39c
Children's Hoods at.....	9c

### Boys' Suits

1 lot Ladies' Dress Shoes, values to \$4, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.39
1 lot of Ladies' Dress Shoes, values to \$4.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.69
1 lot Boys' Suits, values to \$3.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.79
1 lot of Boys' Suits, values to \$4.50, Bankrupt Price.....	\$2.89
1 lot of Boys' Suits, values to \$6.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$3.48
1 lot of Men's 1-buckle Rubbers, values to \$2.00, Bankrupt Price.....	\$1.39
1 lot of House Slippers at.....	29c
1 lot of Men's Dress Shirts, values to \$1.25, Bankrupt Price.....	59c

1 lot of Ladies' Shoes, values to \$2.50; Bankrupt price.....	79c
1 lot Men's Work Shirts, values to 75c; Bankrupt price.....	43c

Many other articles in this stock which time and space would not permit us to mention. Come and put in your next winter's supply of clothing, shoes and rubbers.

25 So. River St. Norcross Block **APPLETON SPECIALTY COMPANY** Geo. M. Walsh Manager.  
JANESVILLE, WISCONSIN.

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## WEATHER FORECAST.



Generally fair tonight and Friday; colder to night; light rain Saturday; moderate to fresh winds.

BY CARRIER

One Month \$3.00

Three Months \$8.00

Six Months \$12.00

One Year \$20.00

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this year should be even more surprising than in the past. The farmers and stock men of the county deserve thanks for the interest they are displaying and the fame of the county is rapidly spreading throughout the land.

## DAYLIGHT FOR ATHLETICS.

One of the arguments advanced for the "Savings Daylight" project is that by setting the clocks ahead in summer, there would be more time after the evening meal for athletic sports. It is expected that this movement is to get quite a boost at the meeting of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, which takes place in New York the second week in February. The president of this association is working for the plan.

The principal reason why the ordinary business man and mechanic does not engage in athletics is the early closing of the darkness. After one's dinner or supper, whichever the evening meal is called, the night soon comes on.

In Great Britain the long twilights make it much more practical for ordinary people to engage in sport. In the latitude of Edinburgh it is light enough to play many games until 10:00 p. m. during the longest days. Imagine the enormous amount of sports that would be enjoyed in this country could the light portion of the evening be lengthened.

Whether the daylight saving proposition is practical or not is another question. There are difficulties in the way. But it does seem as if working hours should be so regulated that the average man would have more of his time in summer for outdoor sports.

In a good many places recently twilight baseball leagues have been organized. They start in about 5:30 or 6 o'clock, and pretty nearly nine innings can be played for most of the summer. If people would be willing to readjust their business hours a bit, the athletic fields could be thrown open to millions of workers. The benefit to health would be enormous, and many monotonous lives would be brightened. All this could be done without any setting ahead of the clocks if people could but see the common sense of it.

Just let Uncle Sam get his hands full with some diplomatic matters that need the closest attention and some of the Pacific coast states will trot out that Japanese boy man and the Spectre will stalk down to Washington and annoy the administration more than they care to admit.

Just think! Germany intimates that they will permit Ambassador Gerard to leave Berlin until they know that their own Ambassador Bernstorff is apparently all dressed up with no place to go but Mexico. Carranza would doubtless welcome him with open arms.

Senator Burke of Green Bay permitted no taint of disloyalty to lodge in his mind when he presented his resolution of censure of the national government. Many of his constituents come from the lands of the central powers at that.

If Germany can not find enough germs of discontent with a microscope, it certainly finds trouble enough with a periscope and if this fails them with a telescope, they might be called into play to look across the Atlantic for further "bugs."

It would appear as though the other neutral countries do not approve of Wilson's plans for concerted action against the "Central Powers" in the interest of peace. So the Nobel prize will not drop into his wife's pocket-book after all.

International law is about as obsolete as the writings on the tablets of cities long ago destroyed by nations whose very names have been forgotten. It is simply called into play once in a while to show how badly it has been fractured.

Is it not strange that the gracefully worded advertisements of bargains in funerals in city papers do not attract the crowds that similar advertisements for a dollar article cut down to ninety cents does?

Where are all those flags that should be found in every store window in the city? Some look deserted without the stars and stripes. Doubtless it is merely an oversight but one that should be remedied.

Is it not strange that the German note did not cause half the furor on Wall street that Wilson's "leak" note did? One would almost think that Wilson should feel elated over his success.

Starvation is apparently a fine game these belligerents are playing, but each nation is seeking to make it apply to its opponent and not themselves and consequently there is a sad mix-up.

Congress has awakened from its peaceful slumbers and ordered immediately a hundred submarines, as though they expected them to be delivered in time for supper from the grocery store.

Why not insist that every property owner clean their walks and not wait for the snow to be tramped down and then melt into ice on the first thaw, making it dangerous under foot?

Some savage nations might extract a whole lot of enjoyment out of the present doings of the so-called civilized nations if they had any means of learning the true facts.

Now that food conditions are restricted in Switzerland it is possible that the holes in the Swiss cheese will be made larger than ever.

Villa and Carranza might now join forces and hold a regular Fourth of July celebration that Uncle Sam has other troubles than looking after them.

## SHED YOUR LIGHT.

Talents are not wasted in a narrow sphere. Your lamp could add but very little to the great glow that illumines the world, but it may fill with light a home that without it would be in darkness.

Surplus articles about the house may easily be turned into cash by telling the people through the want ad columns.

## On the Spur of the Moment

ROY K. MOULTON

Hired Girls. Hired girls may be fat or freckled, thin or thick, dumb or disorderly, but they are always hired. There is nothing more hired than a hired girl. The more frequently they are hired, the truer they are to the type. Once in a while a defective is found who has been in one family for as long as eight months, but the family is usually careful to hire it up. There was once a hired girl in New Jersey who worked for one family for three years, but it was later found she was disturbed in her mind and imagined that she was the family cat. Your hired girl may behave about the kitchen as though she aspired to movie comedy roles, but if she stars in three comedies a week she is a jewel. The fat dowager who burns your chops may seem a dull and unappealing creature. But don't be sure about it. There will come a day when the love of romance will bloom about her in her under-estimated soul. She will yield to the yearning of all her kind. She will unfold the



wings of adventure and lift from thy threshold. She will hear the lure that is calling and she will get two dollars more a week.

Foolishness. We are ashamed to spring this tale. And yet we hate to duck it. A fellow gets a little bucket. Before he kicks the bucket. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

This story, too, so gray with age, Your fishes may vex: A man gets nothing when at last He passes in his checks. —Memphis Commercial-Appen.

We might get tired for pulling this. But still we'd like to note How sheepish even wise guys are. When some one gets their goat. —Spokane Spokesman-Review.

And so it goes. Josephus Jarr. But just the other day. He tried to pass a motor car. He only passed away.



"Was it hard for the turn of Young Reginald Kell to propose to a rather jealous neighbor Rhoda Kook. Now Lucy wasn't pretty, so that catty creature said, 'What a Shame he didn't have another look!'"

A man once shook. So funny as to be sublime. You'd laugh so hard you'd crack your jaw. You'd like a dose of mirth; but laws, We cannot tell it here because He didn't talk in rhyme.

I seem to blush in shame! Here must I be through all the day. To feel the scorn and sting: For I have not a thing to say— I'm not about a thing!

Mine is, indeed, so bad a lot. Oh, reader, that I fear Far better 'twould have been had not The printer put me here.

Ballade of the Courageous Spinster. "Now, who has killed this pretty youth? Who did a deed so dark? This morning was he gay, in sooth, Who now lies cold and stark!"

"What! hand hath done a deed so low? A brute is on his brow! Fie on the fiend that struck the blow, A curse be on him now!"

Thus spake they all who saw him there. Who then there came a dame. Who cried, "I slew that youth so fair."

This hand hath killed the same! "This day that youth did stir my hate. Cried he, 'Oh, withered Rose, Bestir thee now, and grab a mate. For look ye, Death Year goes!'"

"I beat him (ill a death he died." She paused to wipe a tear; But all around on every side There rose a rousing cheer!"

They'll be Easy to Keep. When you are ready to consider a few New Year's resolutions here are some that may please you. If you don't see what you want, ask for it. Never to sit through a six-day bicycle race.

Never to attend a lecture on anti-quarian research. Never to throw pop bottles at a checker's tournament.



Never to try to train a troupe of seas. Never to tell your wife the color of your stenographer's eyes.

A simple little poem, am I, I haven't any name; Oh, don't bid me tell you why.

This Day in History. Twelve years ago today there died a man in Philadelphia who could open a street car window every time. A simple headstone marks his grave.

To Our Office Boy. Happy, happy little lad, Whistling all the long day through, Always whistling, always glad, Does the world look to you?

Does it greet you with a smile That so happily you go Whistling, whistling all the while To and fro?

Keep it up, in any case: Whistle louder, if you can; Till you're purple in the face. Don't you care how wild I be, Whistle in your merry way, Don't you stop because of ME. (And he DON'T!)

Today's Sneer. There are lots of tin willies who think they have iron will.

Dern Him. The worst of bores is Jasper Jay. He says the things I mean to say.

GETTING RID OF A PEST. A Dramatic Fragment. Time and Place—Most any. Characters—You, a reader; Abe Oskagent, a book agent. Properties—A large book, a custard pie, one Pelesian flea. (Enter Abe, breezily, book under arm.)

Abe—I have here a work that should be in every home. If you will give me just a moment of your attention—

You—Shut your mouth! Abe—Seriously, this book, to a man of your intellect— You (singing harsh falsetto)—There's someone more Jonesome than you— Abe—Your name on the dotted line— You—Pooh, pooh! Pooh, pooh! Abe—Small weekly payment— You—Get out of here! Abe (faintly)—In addition, absolutely free— You (rising, seizes pie and begins sneezing)—Abe's face and vicinity— Now that you know the way, Pelesian Flea (leaving hurriedly with Abe)—Coward!

Refreshing Hot Drinks. Any drink from our fountain is a delight, but particularly do we wish to direct attention to our Hot Chocolate. This drink is made from Van Houten's Cocoa prepared in whipped cream instead of water and is without exception the best hot chocolate served in the city. Try a cup. We also serve Bouillon and Coffee, the best in town.

Homsey Bros. "Sweet Shop" 307 W. Milw. St.

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great many more. Obviously, a small fee of say, three cents yearly, placed on the use of each corpuscle would total approximately, many, many millions. Today corpuscles are within the reach of all. Someday we'll be glad to pay for them and take what we can get whether they're the right shape or not.

Our Question Box. Ethel—The value of the coin you have is probably very great. There are thirty thousand others in existence, but they have all been sold. P. S.—The Bolivian buiz is the only insect not known to have been. It is also not known to have been. Gus—You seem to have several alarming symptoms. If you don't know what to do with them take them to any physician. He will make excellent use of them. Eddie—There is one simple way to improve the memory, and we have used it with great success. But we forget what it is. Luke—It is quite stylish to wear white kid gloves at a swell dance. You will see them everywhere there. In fact they are on every hand.

Higher Mathematics. In answer to those who argue that study of the higher mathematics is waste of time for the average student, Dr. Robert E. Moritz, professor of mathematics at the University of Washington, asserts that only such study can develop the following powers of the mind:

1. The power of undivided attention and prolonged concentration. 2. The power of exact definition, of clear statement and of critical analysis. 3. The power of deductive reasoning, of drawing logical conclusions from given premises.

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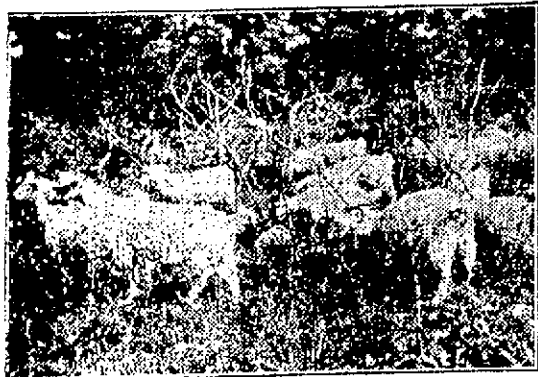
COST FARMERS OF UNITED STATES MILLIONS

By PROF. P. G. HOLDEN.

WEEDS mean wasted labor. It is estimated that a man walks eight miles in plowing an acre once over. Multiply this by harrowing, cross harrowing, and cultivating two or three times, and in the end figure that all this labor has been given to the production of a crop which is only two-thirds as large as it would have been if it had not been choked by weeds. Weeds cut down the yield, damage the crop, cheapen the product, reduce the profits, rob the soil, injure stock, reduce land values. Weeds cost the farmers of the United States more than \$300,000,000, according to government estimates. There is great loss from damage of grain from weed seed.

They Lower Land Values.

A weedy farm is high at any price. Land must return interest on investment. Profits are dependent on what is left after paying production cost. If land produces only enough to pay interest and labor, we will soon go out of business.



A Bunch of Goats or Sheep Will Clean Up the Weeds at a Profit to the Farmer.

Some of the Bad Weeds.

But there are other weeds—milkweed, smartweed, Spanish needle, mustard, peppermint, many, poison hemlock, jimson, morning-glory, ragweed, velvet leaf, purslane, quack grass, wild garlic, Canada thistle, ox-eye daisy, bindweed, orange hawkweed, Johnson grass, sorrel, wild oats, and fifty others, that are common in every state.

Weed seeds are spread chiefly by man sowing impure seed; by scattering weed seeds in feeding hay, straw, screenings, and in manure; by winds, water, and snow; by animals and birds; by farm machines and railroads; by weeds allowed to flourish in waste places.

Weed Remedies.

The problem is how to get rid of weeds and keep them out. First, rotate the crops; screen all seed; cultivate frequently and thoroughly; cut the weeds before they go to seed; use another crop; pasture with sheep; and finally keep everlastingly after them.

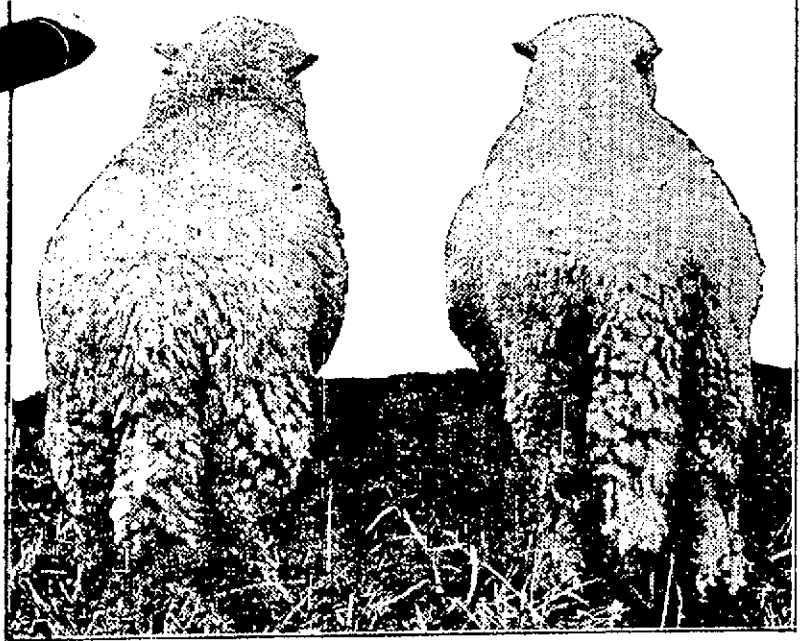
If your wheat field is weedy, seed it to clover and blue grass; mow the annuals and biennials before they seed; pasture with sheep or hogs, to keep down the perennials; follow by a cultivated crop to kill any lingering weeds, and you will have disposed of most varieties.

To allow land to go to waste is an economic crime.

Use it! Farm it! Grow foodstuffs, not weeds!

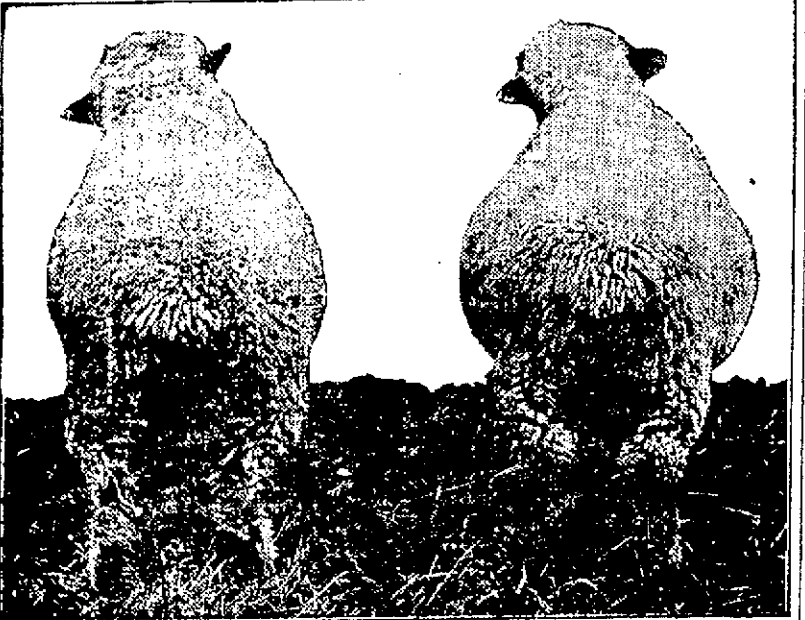
Farm Preparedness

Some "Before and After" Sketches in Wisconsin Farm Operations with Explanations Briefly Recorded



BEFORE HE "KNEW" SHEEP.

Little essentials make up the sum total of success in sheep raising. Wisconsin farmers, some of whom need sheep worse than sheep need them, must be wise to these essentials. Among the oft-neglected points in sheep husbandry is allowing the young stock to go untrimmed and unclipped. Stiff, dirty wool, full of hard "tags," cannot be sold for good prices. Docking and castration should be looked after early in the season, while the lambs are young. Bulletin 203, "Sheep Raising in Wisconsin," will shed some light on conditions affecting the industry in this state. This may be procured by writing to the state experiment station, University of Wisconsin. Additional information may be secured at any time from the Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association, Madison.



AFTER HE GOT THE SHEPHERD'S VIEWPOINT.

Flora. "Have you noticed our dorm about here?" asked the professor of botany of the new student. "If you mean the one with white rats, I have," replied the student who had an eye for girls.—Exchange.

Sarah's Request. Doctor (to his cook, who is just leaving)—Sarah, I am very sorry, but I can only give you a very indifferent character. Sarah—Well, sir, never mind. Just write it like you do your prescriptions.—Stray Stories.

FOOTLIGHTS LURE DIVINE'S DAUGHTER



Miss Blanche Parks.

The lure of the footlights was too strong for this preacher's daughter to resist. She ran away from home and got a job in the chorus of a big New York musical comedy success. Returning in the off season, she earned the parental blessing. Then her two sisters, Marion and Evelyn, ran away and also joined the chorus. They likewise were eventually forgiven.

Amusements

(Notices furnished by the theatres.)

NEW MYERS THEATRE.

Manager Bransky announces that the J. Willard Bayley Stock company will open a limited engagement for four days at the Myers theatre, starting tonight with their opening bill, "The Laws of God and Man," a very strong dramatic success in which the company has scored a decided hit all over the country.

In line with the suggestions made in last evening's Gazette both the management of the theatre and the stock company wish it stated that the repertoire for the four days' engagement will consist of only clean shows, that have a human interest appeal, shows that any member of the family can attend. Tomorrow night, David Belasco's big success, "The Charity Ball," will be offered. Saturday, matinee and evening, the company will play a western melodrama entitled "A Fight for Honor." On Sunday, matinee and night, Sol Smith Russell's biggest success, "Peaceful Valley," will be presented. Tonight ladies will be admitted free in accordance with the printed offering in the advertising announcement in tonight's Gazette.

The Daily Novelette

THE DIVERS OF PIBBLESTOWN.

On the fourth of May the daily papers of Pibblestown published the news that one Watts E. Worth had discovered a \$2,000 pearl while eating a dozen on the half shell in Googor's oyster house. On the sixth of May the inhabitants of the town read that Speedy Nobby had bitten into a \$2,500 pearl in the left hand corner of an oyster stew brewed from oysters purchased at Tutt's oysterery.

By the eleventh of May while reports of pearl finders continued to fill the news, the streets of Pibblestown were covered four inches deep with oyster shells. The street paving department was laid up with brain fever from inability to cope with the situation. Work was suspended while the people of Pibblestown feverishly consumed oysters in a mad hunt for pearls. All the oyster houses opened annexes, and forty thousand oysters an hour were sold. By May nineteenth the shells on the streets were a foot deep, completely tying up all traffic, including the trolley service.

The Mayor of Pibblestown, in addressing the citizens remarked, "I said before my election that I would pave the streets of Pibblestown in a manner unequalled in the entire state and at a less cost than such work was ever accomplished before. And I have kept my pledge! For I invented those pearl-finding stores out of my fertile brain, and our oyster shell roads are today the talk of the world. We are receiving congratulatory telegrams from automobile manufacturers every hour. I seen my duty and I done it! Selah!"

And they all clapped their hands and sang in applause.

COUNTESS WRITES A POPULAR PLAY



Countess of Cromartie.

THE SEVEN DEADLY SINS OF LOVING; BY A Y. M. C. A. MAN

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] New York, Feb. 8.—The cudgel against "mushing" was taken up with a vengeance here today by Secretary Charles W. Dietrich of the Central Y. M. C. A. He defined the term as that hugging, kissing habit of young men and women at parties these days. "It's very bad from every standpoint, this dark and dangerous 'mush' party," said Dietrich. "Yet it is a great habit among young folks today. If you 'mush' too much now you will get tired of it before you ought to. They didn't have anything of that sort when I was young and I know of it now only through my sons, who by the way have only heard of the 'mush' parties; they don't attend them."

"Don't carry your demonstration too far even when you are engaged. Use your kisses for affection, not for passion; and your arm for protection, not for spooning. Marriage certificates of health are advisable. My son-in-law 'mush' me one, although I did not demand it."

1.—Don't "mush." That is, don't hug and squeeze and kiss all the girls before marriage. You'll tire of it too soon when you are married.

2.—Don't try to rush matters. If you are over-anxious, it does more harm than good. If you call on her every night in the week.

3.—Don't get her a ring she will be ashamed of. Strike an average somewhere between one she would turn in and one that can be seen in a block.

4.—Don't dangle other girls in front of your sweetheart just to show her there are others. Cut out the others and concentrate on one.

5.—Don't be a parlor or porch decoration and nothing else. Take her to a theater, buy her candy, bring her flowers, show your love.

6.—Don't marry for money, or on love at first sight, or if there is too much difference in your ages, or if you are in poor health.

7.—Don't forget her Mother. If she's the right kind of girl she'll heed her Mother's advice and you will need a friend at that court.

Ladies' Portraits. In a moment of self revelation Hopper once stated that in painting ladies' portraits he used to make as beautiful a face as he could, then give it a likeness to the sitter, afterward working down from this beautiful state until the observer should cry out, "Oh, I see a likeness coming!" Then Hopper would stop and never venture to make it more like.—London Telegraph.

BRITISH DUCHESS TO GO ON STAGE TO AID WAR CHARITY



Duchess of Westminster in Red Cross costume.

The Duchess of Westminster is contemplating coming before the public in the role of actress. It is well known that she has for some time been doing splendid work for the wounded at her hospital at Le Touquet.

NEWS NOTES—MOVIELAND

Jane Cowl, who will act before the camera as soon as the present Broadway season ends, is a woman of unusual talent, as well as extraordinary beauty. Not only has she been a pronounced success on the dramatic stage, she has literary ability of a high degree. She is the author of a new drama, "Lilac-Time," now being presented on the road by her theatrical managers.

Miss Cowl is the first screen star to write a successful play under an important management, and her work has challenged the attention of the critics wherever "Lilac-Time" has been presented. In addition to being the author of the play, Miss Cowl is also its star.

"THE DOG WATCH" Annette Kellerman wears her wrist watch on her pet dog. "Coo-ee," it makes him a collar. She got the idea when she was posing for "The Daughter of the Gods." She was in and out of the water all day, week after week, and couldn't wear the watch. But to learn the time of day she had only to whistle for "Coo-ee."

ELAINE'S IN Elaine Hammerstein, grand-daughter of Oscar Hammerstein, widely known grand opera producer, has become a movie actress after a short stage experience. She will be seen soon in "The Argyle Case."

Miss Hammerstein is a graduate of Armitage college. It is said of her that she has large gray eyes, and that she "screams like \$1,000,000."

YES THEY DON'T "I consider J. Warren Kerrigan a far better actor than I," says Francis X. Bushman.

"I yield the palm to Francis X. Bushman," says Warren J. Kerrigan. "Art is all; money means nothing to me," says Charlie Chaplin.

"I wish I might be permitted to play opposite Mr. Chaplin," says Mary Pickford.

Virginia Kirtley will be cast for a role in a feature now being produced at a Los Angeles studio under the direction of Colin Campbell, "Who Shall

War and Art. "Suppose Napoleon had been fighting under modern conditions," remarked the theorist. "Do you think he would have escaped defeat?" "That is rather hard to say," answered the connoisseur, "but for the sake of art I'm glad he lived when he did."

"Think of the splendid battle pictures we now have in our art galleries, depicting incidents of Napoleon's campaigns, and imagine what sort of work an artist would have done had he attempted to paint Napoleon telephoning to the front or Napoleon in his dug-out!"—Brooklyn Citizen.

BEVERLY

7:30 TONIGHT 9:00

Your Favorite Star,

MABEL TRUNNELLE in

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An Exceptionally Strong Drama

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FRIDAY

DOROTHY PHILLIPS in

"The Pipers Price"

(Blue Bird Special)



Jane Cowl.

Take My Life." For some time past Miss Kirtley has been devoting her entire time to the writing of scenarios.

Blanche Sweet, they do say, is at the present time out of a job. It is reported that she asks too much money and that if anybody wants Blanche Sweet they must take Marshall Neilan to direct her.

James Cruze, who was featured in "The Million Dollar Mystery," and numerous other releases, has been added to the acting forces of a western studio.

Shirley Mason is the youngest sister of Viola Dana.

MYERS

JOS. M. BRANSKY Lessee and Manager.

TONIGHT

J. Willard Bayley STOCK COMPANY

In the great clean dramatic success that no one need be ashamed to see

The Laws of God and Man

And will appear tomorrow night in David Belasco's society drama

The Charity Ball

Prices Tonight:—10c, 20c and 30c. Two ladies or one lady and a gentleman will be admitted on one 30c ticket.

The Apollo Club

CLOSING RECITAL

ANTONIO SALA

Cellist of the Court of Spain

This remarkable young artist has already become Cellist at the Spanish Court, a coveted honor that is sought by many but bestowed upon few. That Sala is exempt from military service and able to make the present American tour is due to the intervention of King Alfonso. Sala's reputation is not confined to Spain. In Paris he has been declared by competent authorities to be the finest violin-cellist in the world. Recently Sala made a five months' tour of South America achieving a brilliant success that is reflected in his press notices.

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## BELGIANS PREVENT GERMANS' ADVANCE

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

With the Belgian Army, Belgium, Feb. 8.—The pride of the Belgian troops in holding back the Germans from further encroachment on Belgian soil is observable immediately on entering the sector occupied by King Albert's troops. Determination to prevent any advance by the Germans and the will to push back the invaders when the time is ripe are evident everywhere.

The Associated Press correspondent has visited the Belgian advanced lines at a point between Dixmude and Esenbourg, where for the moment the fighting is still going on. Water under the thick mists making the atmosphere heavy and preventing observation, and cold rain falling in a continuous penetrating downpour make action almost impossible.

Out in the front lines, after a long tramp over board walks across sodden fields and irrigation channels, the correspondent saw the Belgian soldiers keeping their constant vigil, clad in heavy woolen coverings and oilcloth raincoats and high rubber boots. Here and there a sentinel stood looking out over the mile or so of water covering the space between the Belgian and the German lines, dimly visible in the distance. No barbed wire entanglements are possible here; their place is taken by seawater, which, by the cutting of dikes, has been permitted to flow where it will, although it renders the land unsuitable for twenty years.

The crack of an occasional rifle-shot, fired from one side or the other, when a gunner makes some movement in the opposing lines, was dulled by the heavy art, and sometimes near by generally far off was heard the roar of an aerial torpedo being hurled for each spadeful of earth taken out. At once replaced by a hole full of water, in place of trenches the only way to form protecting line for the infantry occupying the front lines is to construct shelters of sand-filled canvas sacks and this has been developed in the past few days at a stretch the same men remain without relief at the front under these distressing conditions, but there is no complaint for the men are mostly hardy peasants or laboring men who have had to combat the Belgian climate all their lives. Hardships which for troops from other and drier districts would prove a supporting borne by them with cheerfulness.

King Albert, who lives near the actual fighting line, pays an almost daily visit to some part of the front. The Queen, too, has been seen in the front, and when not engaged on hospital work is often seen walking alone among the soldiers when they are enjoying a short respite from active service.

Everywhere there are evidences of America's aid to the Belgian wounded and to refugees from the interior who insist on remaining on the small portion of Belgian soil still left to them. American ambulances are often seen along the routes.

## CITY WATER PLANTS SUBJECT TO STATE

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—A bill extending the state's authority over municipal water supplies in order to assure the removal of pollution sources has been offered by Assemblyman F. N. Graess of Sturgeon Bay. Under this measure the state board of health is authorized to investigate water supplies suspected of pollution, or which have been made impure through improper construction or inadequate size of water purification works.

After such investigation the board must notify the city, village, corporation or person owning the plant, giving the opportunity to be heard. This hearing develops the need of improvements or changes to improve the supply. The findings shall be reported to the governor for his approval, and the board shall notify the owner of the supply to install the necessary improvements within a specified time.

The same bill permits the board to seek improvements in a water or sewage purification plant which, through incompetent supervision or inefficient operation, is not producing an effluent as pure as public health demands, and which effluent may pollute a stream or body of water or become a public nuisance.

For which has become contaminated and is impure may be used by any village, city, public institution, individual, or water or ice company by the terms of the same bill. The state board of health is given power after a full investigation of the facts, to prohibit the use of such ice.

## SHE'S DAUGHTER OF CANAL ZONE BOSS



Miss Katherine Harding.

Miss Katherine Harding is the daughter of Col. Chester A. Harding, governor of the Panama Canal Zone, and Mrs. Harding. She is both beautiful and talented and shows promise of a successful career.

## Edgerton News

EDGERTON HAS EMPLOYMENT  
AGENCY AT POSTOFFICE

Edgerton, Feb. 8.—Postmaster Heen announces that the United States employment office has established a branch in this city in connection with the postoffice. J. C. Hise of the Chicago office was in the city yesterday making the arrangements. Hise, desiring a position or those who wish help may list their wants with Postmaster Heen free of charge. This is a pioneer movement in this county, and Edgerton has the distinction of being one of the first post-offices having the employment office in connection. The object of the employment office is to secure help at the proper time for the entire community, and one is at liberty to take advantage of the office. This office should be of great advantage to the farmers, especially during tobacco harvest.

A pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dates, at Albion, yesterday noon, when their daughter, Margaret, became the bride of William Stricker, a Milwaukee visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. Mawhinney and Mrs. Lyon were Janesville callers Wednesday. W. E. Babcock of Sparta is visiting with friends and relatives in this city and vicinity.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Scott Match Friday afternoon. Business meeting at 2:30; program at 3. A most interesting letter day program has been arranged. Everyone interested in temperance is invited to attend. Refreshments will be served. The following program will be given: Hymn; "There of Pure Delight," Prayer; Mrs. Hooton; "The Frances Willard Memorial Fund," Mrs. Hooton; "Henry Ford's Vision," Mrs. O. C. Hanson; solo, Mrs. H. C. Stricker; "Life Sketches of Frances Willard," Mrs. E. B. Ellingson; "Supper America Goes Dry," Mrs. Fred Campbell; solo, Hazel Biderman; recitation, "Pietro Speaks," Lorraine Dickinson; "The Flower of Temperance Chivalry," Mrs. J. A. Henderson.

Mrs. J. A. Henderson, a business caller at Rockford for a few days. Mrs. H. Morrissey called on Janesville relatives Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Kemp is confined to her home with an attack of bronchial pneumonia.

There will be no school Friday on account of a teachers' convention that it will be held at Madison.

The Laurean society met last evening at the high school. They decided to give their annual banquet and entertain's night program on March 17th.

## CHARLEY SCHMIDT IS EXPERT BONESETTER



Charley Schmidt.

Charley Schmidt, the Red Sox captain and veteran catcher, has done almost everything in his many years at baseball and now he seems to be as expert a bonesetter as any in the state. Charley cured his own right wing so well some time ago that he tried his skill on several pitchers and with as great success.

## Everyday Wisdom By DON HEROLD

STANLEY IT SEEMS AS IF YOU'RE ALWAYS TAKING THE BATH TUB APART



PLUMBING.

Well, Martha, I don't know anything more fascinating

Plumbing is entertaining and instructive. If a man wants to make a hobby of plumbing he will find it as diverting as golf and just as good exercise and just as full of opportunities for plain and fancy profanity.

Still, there will always be a great many men who prefer having their plumbing work done by someone else just as there will always be a great many men who prefer having their golf done by someone else.

We know one man who saved enough money doing his own plumbing-repairing in one year to buy a \$5 volume encyclopedia with train and parent paper and lumber, and we know another man who keeps a seven-passenger car and a chauffeur with the money he saves tinkering about the house, stopping leaks, gutters and thumpings.

And there is always the possibility of your being thrown on your own resources in a new way, at any time, and if you have been used to a life of luxury and refinement your life is better than to have your car, as well as your professional standing as a plumber or a moment's notice? We must confess we do not know.

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## Evansville News

ERNEST POST MARRIES  
MISS MARY FINNERAN

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Evansville, Wis., February 8.—A very pretty wedding occurred at St. Paul's Catholic church, Wednesday morning, Feb. 7, at eight o'clock, when Miss Mary Finneran of Magnolia became the bride of Ernest Post of the same town. Rev. Father McDermott officiating. The bride looked very charming in a pretty plum-colored traveling suit, and the young couple were attended by her brother, Thomas, Finneran, and Miss Alice McGovern of Janesville. The wedding party repaired to the home of the bride's father, John Finneran, where a reception was tendered them at 11 o'clock, attended by a large company of relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Post will begin housekeeping on her father's farm and may every good wish follow and abide with them.

When Miss Barbara Fearsall leaves Evansville on Friday of this week she makes the beginning of a very pleasant journey. From here she goes to Salt Lake City, Utah, to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Scott, where she will remain for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, who go to California, where on February 20th they will sail from San Francisco for Honolulu. Mrs. Mary Austin, who has been quite ill with the grippe, is convalescent.

Allie Fellows is ill at his home on Park street. E. Durner was hostess again Tuesday afternoon when she entertained at cards. Fourteen ladies were her guests and all enjoyed a delightful time.

Miss Garry is on the sick list at his home on Liberty street.

Miss John Baker was a Madison visitor Tuesday.

Miss Garry is expected home today from the University of Wisconsin to spend the remainder of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dake and little daughter, who are expected to live here, are located in Magee's flat. Mr. Dake will work in the Dixon barber shop.

Mrs. Mark Lake is reported quite ill at her home on East Main street.

Mrs. Mary Powers entertained a number of friends at her home on North Madison street Sunday, occasion being the anniversary of her birth.

Miss Ethel Van Wart is here from the university to spend a few days at the parents' home in Janesville.

Miss Isabelle Greenwood has issued invitations to a party to be given at her home on Liberty street on Wednesday evening, February 8.

Among those attending the style show in Chicago this week are: T. C. Richardson and daughter, Miss Helen Richardson, and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Axtell.

Guy Barnard is on the sick list at his home on Liberty street.

Mr. and Mrs. Durkey of Carpenter, Iowa, and Mrs. William Pope of Osage, Iowa, and Mrs. Carberry of Miltonville, Iowa, are in the city, the guests of the W. B. Atkinson and W. R. Phillips families.

Alton Baker is confined to his home on Main street by illness.

Dr. F. E. Colony was a visitor to Brodhead, Wednesday.

The Pythian Sisters are planning a large card party to be given at their large card party on Tuesday evening, February 20, to which a very cordial invitation is extended to all.

W. W. Gillies was in Madison on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week on business.

Mrs. Ney Gillman spent Wednesday in Calvary, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Delbert Smith and son of Brooklyn were Evansville visitors on Wednesday.

Mrs. P. Murray and daughter, Viola of Beloit, and Mrs. E. E. Eason of Chicago were in Evansville, Wednesday, attending the Post-Finneran wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Giesaves have returned to their home in Madison. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Griffith on East Main street.

Mrs. W. Andrews of Calvary was an Evansville shopper Wednesday. Mrs. T. J. Estes spent Wednesday in Janesville.

G. C. Van Wormer was a Madison visitor on Wednesday.

The Tourist club met Tuesday evening with Miss Daisy Spencer and the session was hugely enjoyed by all present.

Parke Richmond of Chicago is here attending the sale of the farm occupied by Matthew Richmond, of which Mr. Richmond is administrator. During his stay he is a guest at the Locke Pierce home east of town.

Walter Dunwiddie of Delavan is taking charge of Mrs. McArthur's classes at the high school during Mr. McArthur's absence. Mr. Dunwiddie is a nephew of the late Judge B. F. Dunwiddie of Janesville, and a graduate of the University of Wisconsin.

The city schools will be closed Friday to allow the teachers to attend the Southern Wisconsin Teachers' association which convenes in Madison Friday and Saturday of this week.

Miss Stella Tripke of Calvary visited her sister, Mrs. R. L. McCoy, on Wednesday.

A very enjoyable card party was held at the Parish hall of St. Paul's church Tuesday evening, Feb. 6th.

Miss Captola Breyley of Wadsworth, Ohio, stopped here for a short visit with her friend, Miss Irene Esch. Miss Breyley is attending our state university.

Mrs. Anna O'Neill.

Mrs. Anna O'Neill passed away at her home in the town of Magnolia January 31, 1917, at the advanced age of eighty-five years. Deceased was born in Ireland came to America in 1863, settling in the town of Magnolia where she lived until the time of her death. On April 22, 1885, she was united in marriage to John O'Neill, who passed away April 19, 1912.

She is survived by Mrs. E. E. Eason, Mrs. Margaret Meely, Mary O'Neill of Magnolia; P. J. and M. J. O'Neill of Minneapolis; Martin of Ft. Dodge, Iowa. John Jr., died at the age of twelve years. Mrs. O'Neill lived in the thirty-fifth anniversary of her

son's death. Besides the immediate family she leaves her loss sixteen grand-children and four great-grand-children and a host of friends. Her life had been that of a true Christian woman marked by a modest though never failing devotion to her friends especially to those who were dear to her.

Solemn high mass was celebrated at the Catholic church at Albany, by her pastor, Rev. Father Krause, who was assisted by the Brodhead choir. The pallbearers were Martin and Peter Garey, P. H. John, Will and Paul Meely. Interment at Albany Catholic cemetery.

C. R. McArthur, phone Red 319 or 175 handles Gazette Classified advertising orders in Evansville. Prompt service.

## Brodhead News

Brodhead, Feb. 8.—Funeral services for Mrs. Stella Douglas were held in the Methodist Episcopal church at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, conducted by Rev. Walter Trench Scott, interment being in Greenwood cemetery. She is survived by her husband, one son and two uncles—William Struvant of Janesville and Richard Wright of Brodhead.

Mrs. C. B. Atkinson and William Hahn visited Janesville friends on Wednesday.

J. H. Kleckner went to Madison, Miss Eliza Sherman was the guest of Janesville relatives on Wednesday. Lou Heath of Madison visited his mother, Mrs. U. Branger, and other Brodhead relatives and returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Kittelsen were visitors in Janesville Wednesday.

Mrs. O. A. Wright and little daughter, Arline returned Wednesday to their home in Rockford after spending a fortnight with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright and Mrs. Winslow.

Earl Bush went to Milwaukee Wednesday to attend the Hardwaremen's convention.

Messrs. A. Broughton, F. A. Cole and Harry Cox were passengers to Madison Wednesday to attend a telephone meeting.

Among those who went to Juda Wednesday to attend the funeral of Harry Blackford were Mrs. M. Snyder, Mrs. Anna Young, Messrs. R. Lindley and Claire Pryce, Mrs. S. Roderick, Frank Mitchell, Geo. Rich-

ardson, and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Amerpohl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport spent Wednesday in Monroe.

Mrs. D. E. Austin went to Orfordville Wednesday to visit her mother and sister, Mrs. A. L. Karney and Miss Karney.

Mrs. D. C. Howard were visitors in Janesville Wednesday.

M. L. Karney was a business visitor in Monroe Wednesday.

Miss Burney of Janesville returned Wednesday to her home after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Donahue.

Mrs. D. Brown returned Wednesday from a visit to Monroe.

Attorney Burr Sprague had legal business in Monroe Wednesday.

Notice: The Gazette is on sale at Brodhead at Miller's News Stand.

CLINTON

Clinton, Feb. 7.—Eugene Foley has purchased Will Graeber's house on Durand street and will take possession April 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kizer and daughter, Berlicke, were Chicago visitors on Tuesday.

H. F. Dallman and Frank Ruder are in Milwaukee attending the Hardware Men's convention.

F. W. McKinney, J. F. Kemmerer and Iver Jacobson are attending the annual convention of the Wisconsin Telephone Association held in Madison this week.

Mrs. Drake will entertain a few friends at a turkey dinner this evening.

Mrs. Floyd Barrus entertained the Tuesday club yesterday.

The Puella Club met at the home of E. O. Evans on Tuesday evening.

Drus Winkley went to Madison today to visit at his brothers home.

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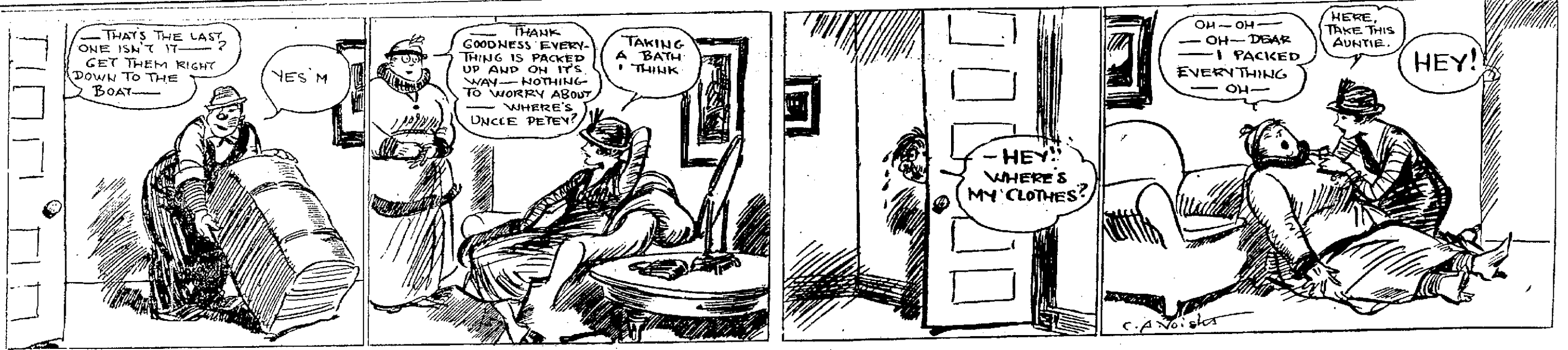
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PETEY DINK—LOOKS LIKE HE WILL HAVE TO WRAP UP IN THE BATH MAT.

## SPORTS

### FAVOR THREE MILE CARPENTIER SHOWS POUGHKEEPSIE RACE POOR FIGHTING FORM

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Anticipation for the culmination of what has been termed the "Deadly Four Mile" in the program of the famous Poughkeepsie rowing regatta has been growing for some time and is favored in a general way by the leading coaches of the East including Charles Courtney, Cornell; Jim Ton Erck, Syracuse; Wright, Pennsylvania; Dr. Smith, Princeton, and others who have devoted much study to the question. Several of the professional coaches are of the opinion that if the rowers are properly trained for four miles there is no danger of permanent disability from rowing once a season at this distance.

It is held, however, that a three mile race would be just as decisive, requiring less training and recovery in more professional regatta of the year. But six crews rowed in four mile races last season. Syracuse, Cornell, Columbia and Pennsylvania contested at the Poughkeepsie regatta while Harvard and Yale rowed at New London. It is hoped that if the big race at Poughkeepsie is reduced to three miles that the regatta will return to the Hudson and that possibly Princeton and the Naval academy might be induced to enter.

During the preliminary rowing season last year Princeton and the Navy crew competed in three races, each ranging in distance from one mile to 50 yards to two miles while on the Pacific coast Stanford, California, and Washington all rowed one or more three-mile races. In past years, Georgetown, Wesleyan, Trinity, Dartmouth and Wake Forest figured in the ranks of college rowing.

There are far seeing enthusiasts who predict that the time will come when there will be a national intercollegiate championship regatta at which ten to fifteen crews will compete for honors. Several of the big Middle Western universities are planning for rowing as soon as artificial waterways are completed, and the growth of college sports in other directions would indicate that the prediction may well be realized.

The reduction of the main event at the intercollegiate regatta from four to three miles would open the way for the shifting of the regatta, in part, to come to one or more courses which would not be available for a four-mile course. Several years ago there was an informal discussion among several undergraduate crew managers who favored a "open" to all the college crews of the country with elimination races over a two mile course. This would be held at different cities or colleges each year, like the track championships. It is certain that a two mile championship regatta would attract far more entries than the present four mile race and the lopping off the "fourth" mile may be a step in that direction.

**Most Expensive Sport.**  
Rowing is one of the most expensive sports fostered by college athletic associations, the expenses far exceeding any revenue derived. The financial statements of the Cornell University association, the premier rowing college of the country for the past year shows that maintenance of the Navy regatta cost \$15,264. This amount was paid by the college. Because of certain financial arrangements with the railroad company furnishing observation trains, this revenue was greater than at several other institutions which turn out fast eight each season.

With a regatta rowed over a shorter course and rotating from city to city, it is likely that the sport could be put upon a dividend paying basis as is the case with the intercollegiate track and field games. Springfield, Mass., recently started an institution on the Connecticut river course and offered excellent financial inducements while Peoria, Ill., several years ago endeavored to interest Middle Western colleges in a similar proposition. If the facilities existed for charging admission to the average intercollegiate regatta there would be no difficulty in securing adequate receipts sufficient to finance college crew races upon a large scale.

### West Side Alleys

Roy Grant and his Colts' anxiousness to roll the Gazette Printers was given satisfaction last night. Ping Bodie and his troupe of "devils" journeyed to the West Side and pied Grant's five in a cannonading which brought from a total of 2,382 wooden soldiers against 2,437 for the champions. The Printers won by 36 votes. Bodie and Hoveland hit the 200 mark, "Ping" getting 205 for his first frame while Emmett drew 202 and 215 in the second and third frames.

R. Grant	126	140	144
Brown	187	170	187
A. Little	182	188	193
M. Ryan	178	175	157
Cunningham	190	180	147
Totals	832	836	828-2497

P. Bodie	305	166	153
Rasmussen	161	171	187
Peske	104	112	146
Ward	183	174	161
Hoveland	131	202	215
Totals	876	845	863-2539

### PLAN GIGANTIC GAME PRESERVE FOR MONTANA

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Helena, Mont., Feb. 8.—Twenty-five thousand acres of land between Ellison and Deer Lodge, this state, will be set aside as the largest game preserve in this hemisphere this year if plans of the Department of the Interior, announced here today, materialize. Supervisor J. B. Selley of the Helena forest is a backer of the plan.

### FOND DU LAC WANTS PLAYGROUNDS FOR CITY

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Fond du Lac, Feb. 8.—The civic bureau of the Fond du Lac association of Commerce is making a drive to get a recreation director and greater playground facilities here. Resolutions asking the city officials to act were recently passed.

# FATIMA

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### EVERY BOUT FEATURE AT ATHLETIC EXHIBIT

EXCELLENT MILL STAGED BY S. W. A. A. BEFORE CROWD WHICH PACKS RINK.—ALL PLEASED.

### ADAMS WINS WITH 'KO'

Chicago Boy Wins From Game Rockford Fighter.—Swann Downs Peck and Lyke Points Over Clout Weber.

#### THE GAZETTE'S DECISIONS

George Adams, Chicago, knocked out Young Kick, Rockford (7).  
Battling Check, Sheboygan, stopped Eddie Harris, Milwaukee (6).  
Frankie Rumor, Rockford, stopped Kid Nichols, Janesville, (6).  
Battling Swann, Janesville, stopped Spike Peck, Beloit (3).  
Charlie Lyke, La Prairie, won over Clout Weber, Janesville, (4).

Another high class exhibit of boxing last night featured the show of the Southern Athletic association, and a crowd variously estimated at from six hundred to a thousand enjoyed a platter of clever bouts, not one of which was a farce in even the most meager sense of the word. The show was of the same old vein which on two previous occasions this season has attracted and concentrated the attention of fight fans from all sections of southern Wisconsin and northern Illinois on Janesville as a coming center for fast exhibitions, though whether it would be possible to secure a better crowd than that of last night is only guesswork.

What is said by local boxing enthusiasts and promoters of the Beloit and Madison clubs to have been the clear winner in this section this season was that delivered Young Kick of Rockford by George Adams of Chicago in the seventh round of their scheduled bout. The windup, Battling Check, the Sheboygan blacksmith, stopped Eddie Harris, Milwaukee, in the sixth round of their eight round bout. That fight was a close one, but Young Kick of this city in the same round over a similar route; Battling Swann, city, had Spike Peck, Beloit, groggy in the third round. The City lad was withdrawn, giving Swann the honors, and Charlie Lyke, "The Fighting Farmer From La Prairie," lived up to his reputation by knocking out the "Devil" in their fourth rounds.

A left hook to the ear, an opening and quick as a flash a straight right to the jaw, and Young Kick was down for Young Kick in the sixth, in the windup. He dropped to the floor as limp as a rag. It was fifteen minutes before he was brought to his feet. He did not get up until long as he was did against Adams found him a host of friends here. It was his first fight. Adams had him blinded and bewildered in the first round and it was only the bell that averted the kayo then. Everybody expected it early in the fourth, for he literally fell to his corner as the previous round closed. His back was the biggest surprise of the evening. Adams had the third on points easily, and he also had a slight shade in the first two, although it could hardly be called even. Kick forced the fighting in the fourth despite the fact that he had received a terrible beating in the third. The fight was a real one, and it was only the bell that averted the kayo then. He was getting in a great number of telling body blows. It was seen that he was fast falling, but he stuck to his fighting as game as ever. Kick had the nerve even if he did not have the ability to beat Adams. The latter touched the scales at 165.5. Kick weighed 165.5. He was a clever fighter. Adams tripped and fell backwards to the floor towards the close, but was up and back in an instant. Kick was responsible in a way for a close fight. Battling Check, the village smithy from Sheboygan, a diminutive but husky little chap with shoulders wide as the side of a barn and a clutch that brought his chin down into a pocket in his wishbone, as though he was holding a violin, made Eddie Harris of Milwaukee call for the smelling salts in the sixth round of their eight round bout. Check was the fighter; Harris was the boxer, and strength, not skill, won this time.

Harris for the first two rounds pranced and stepped about like a Russian ballet. Each was feeling the other out. The Milwaukee boxer was tall and had the reach advantage by four inches. He was clever, but his hither and yon check, accustomed to wielding the sledge, used the practice to advantage last night. He made his opponent suffer with heavy blows even when he was cleverly covered up. The opening two rounds were even, but the next three went to Check. Harris took the nine count from Referee Duffy in the sixth, and then came back for more. He was no more in the center of the ring than he went down again under a blow to the jaw. He could not continue and a few seconds later the bell closed the fight. Battling Swann beat Spike Peck of Beloit in the third round of their meeting, although the local lad was forced to take a lot of punishment. Peck, like Harris, was a clever fighter, but Swann was the better fighter and had steam behind his blows. Both boys were bleeding early. Peck was unable to go on for the fourth round, the last, and even during the third he was saving himself with continual

clinch. Swann, boxing authorities say, pays more attention to head blows than necessary and as the result sits up on the wearing and tearing importance of body punches. Swann weighed 135; Peck 121. He showed one hundred per cent improvement over his first appearance and has developed a good guard.

Frankie Rumor of Rockford stopped Kid Nichols of this city in the third round. He was ready for the haymaker when the going sent them to their corners. It was the bell which saved the local lad in the third, although he had the second on points after an even opening.

Nichols was physically unable to continue after the third, and was withdrawn. Rumor had a big delegation of followers from Rockford, and they gave him a ready hand both when he won and in fact all through. Rumor had weighed in at 153, while Nichols' weight was 151. He was a good fighter, but his second fight.

Clout Weber and Charlie Lyke mixed things considerably in their fourth round session, and the mixing consisted not only of some heavy hitting but a surprising amount of cleverness, for both showed an ability to footwork, and as for eluding Lyke's blows, Weber was a real expert. Time blows were the farmer swiped only air, as Clout, with an aggressiveness that he never showed at the woodpile in the back yard, ducked down to the body. Lyke's blows were mainly to the body. They gradually wore Weber down, and although he stayed through the scheduled time, four rounds, the battle was the last round. The referee, who was the La. Prairie, was the one who was announced by the management that the S. W. A. would hold another show during the last week of this month.

### Sport Snap Shots

For several years the baseball team of Yale University has played an exhibition game with the New York Giants just prior to the opening of the season. This year the date has been given Columbia University, of which Andrew Coakley is coach.

The Indianapolis club has changed its bookings for spring games somewhat. It will play one less game with Atlanta and play two in Memphis on April 7 and 8, thus giving the Indians Saturday and Sunday in Memphis, the best Sunday town in the South.

Waiter Manning, former member of the hurling staff of the Yankees and who was with Toronto and Rochester in the International league, has applied for a job with the Newark Indians. Manning is a free agent. President Price has forwarded the letter to Manager Tom Needham.

The young members of the Giants and the newspaper writers will leave New York for Marlin on February 23. McGraw will probably stay in New York until the regulars depart. The Little Napoleon hopes to land a first class pitcher in a few weeks from one of the western clubs.

Branch Ricker, now the business manager of the St. Louis Browns, says that he will depend entirely on the coal miners of that country to fill his arena. Wilde, a "shaker boy" in the coal mines himself at one time, is an idol among the underground hunkies.

William H. Draper, owner of the Providence club of the International league who has had the club on the market since the season closed, has a nibble from Boston men, names not stated. Though Providence was in the International race all season, the club lost about \$5,000. The price put on the franchise and players is said to be \$27,000. President Harp believes that baseball is coming back in the International and he is urging Providence as one of the best investments offered at the price. It is hardly likely a sale will be made, however, until David Fultz is entirely squelched.

Marks has been conducting bouts in Cardiff for some time, and he assures Nate Lewis that Wilde and Coulton would surely draw a \$20,000 house, says he will depend entirely on the coal miners of that country to fill his arena. Wilde, a "shaker boy" in the coal mines himself at one time, is an idol among the underground hunkies.

Clark Griffith, manager of the Washingtons, has made a deal by which he secures Shorstop Crane from the Baltimore International league club. In exchange he has released Catcher Alvin Williams, Pitcher Bentley and Outfielder Barber to Baltimore. Jack Dunn, the Orioles' manager, said recently that Crane was easily the best shortstop in the minor leagues. Last season Crane was tried out by Connie Mack two years ago, but he was sent to Durham because he lacked experience and was weak at the bat. Griffith probably intends to supplant the veteran George McBride with Crane at short field, as the former is said to be on the down grade.

Cy Pieh, the elongated right-hander, and Tom Blodgett, the young pitcher purchased from the Western League last year, have been released by Bill Donovan to the Mobile club of the Southern Association. Matty McIntyre, the old Detroit outfielder, is now the manager of the Mobile club. Donovan will assist Matty as much as he can to help him win the Southern league pennant this year.

When Chase jumped to the Buffalo Feds two years ago he received a contract calling for something like \$8,000. Garry Herrman believes that Prince Hal earned this much last season and offered him a contract the other day for two years calling for the same amount. Chase immediately affixed his signature to the document.

Pitcher Gene Packard of the Chicago Cubs was out only a thousand dollars on his last federal contract. He has objected, but says it is a personal matter with him and that he is looking out for himself and not for the Fraternity. Packard has gone to the home of his parents in Oklahoma, where he will spend the time rounding it in preparation for the season, thus hoping to prove to Manager Mitchell that he is worth some of the money he asks.

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### MAKE GOOD SHOWING AT BOWLING TOURNEY

Baumann's Colts Get High Score for Wednesday in Five Men Event at Watertown Tournament.

Baumann's Colts of Janesville, with a score of 2,694, were the leaders in the five men event at the state bowling tournament at Watertown on Wednesday. The nearest competitors, the Silver City Boys, with a tally of 2,650, Richards' Goldfish came a close third with a total of 2,632 pins to their credit. The other five men teams, which entered, made a good showing with a score of 2,475.

Yeomans and Merrick represented Janesville in the doubles event, a 10-10 score. E. Merrick made the day's best showing in the singles, with a score of 584 among sixty contestants. Following are the leaders in the tournament to date:

**Five Man.**  
Witkowski, High Lites, Watertown, 2,691.  
Lash Bitters, Milwaukee, 2,681.  
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**Singles.**  
W. Lehnoff, Milwaukee, 657.  
R. Englehardt, Kenosha, 637.  
E. Kuehn, Milwaukee, 632.  
C. Verket, Racine, 625.  
Heim, Milwaukee, 625.  
Hume, Chilton, 618.  
C. Rasmussen, Oshkosh, 615.  
G. Stoeber, Milwaukee, 615.  
Rogahn, Milwaukee, 614.  
Muehler, Milwaukee, 612.

**Doubles.**  
S. Badtke, Cedarburg, 1,540.

**MILWAUKEE BOY SCOUTS WEAR PREPAREDNESS DRILLS**

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Milwaukee, Feb. 8.—Boy Scouts are wearing their uniforms more proudly than ever today on Milwaukee streets. And tonight the thirty-four patrols here will come to attention at exactly 7:30 p. m. and repeat the Boy Scout oath of allegiance. This is the way the 700 local Scouts observe the seventh anniversary of the founding of their organization.

**Our Big Clearance Sale of**

**Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes**

is still on. Save \$5 or \$7 on a suit or overcoat.

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It does not cost any money to win this car—a little spare time is all that is necessary. Enter today, no one restricted, except my employees.

My territory is as follows: City of Janesville, Town of Janesville, Town of Harmony, Town of Milton, except nw 1/4; West 1/2 Town of Lima; West 1/2 Town of Johnstown; Section 4-5-6-7-8-9-16-17-18-19-20-21 Town of Bradford; all of the Town of La Prairie except the South 2 miles. All of the Town of Rock except South 2 miles; ne 1/4 of Town of Plymouth and all of the Town of Fulton South of the river. And orders are to be taken for cars to be delivered to persons residing in above territory.

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### Sons, sporting goods manufacturer, and after the luncheon a trip was taken through the plant of the Goldsmiths in Cincinnati, making the occasion something of an event in a baseball way and proving an eye opener as to the extent of the business of purveying to the national game.

Johnny Coulton is going to Cardiff, Wales, to fight Jimmy Wilde for well they say over there the flyweight championship—what that is, Harry Marks, who used to be Freddie Welsh's manager, is going to take the great little American over to meet the spindleshanked wonder in a twenty-round contest.

Marks has been conducting bouts in Cardiff for some time, and he assures Nate Lewis that Wilde and Coulton would surely draw a \$20,000 house, says he will depend entirely on the coal miners of that country to fill his arena. Wilde, a "shaker boy" in the coal mines himself at one time, is an idol among the underground hunkies.

William H. Draper, owner of the Providence club of the International league who has had the club on the market since the season closed, has a nibble from Boston men, names not stated. Though Providence was in the International race all season, the club lost about \$5,000. The price put on the franchise and players is said to be \$27,000. President Harp believes that baseball is coming back in the International and he is urging Providence as one of the best investments offered at the price. It is hardly likely a sale will be made, however, until David Fultz is entirely squelched.

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## MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

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## LOTS FOR SALE

JACKSON STREET, SOUTH, 517—Building lot. Bell phone 710.

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## AUCTION DIRECTORY

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February 9.—S. B. Eastman, 4 miles south of Evansville. W. S. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 9.—John Gunderson, Orford. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 9.—Aug. Mundt, 1/2 mile west of Shopiere. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 12.—Richard Bottadischer, 1 1/2 miles from Albany. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 12.—Wm. Brunhoffer, 1 1/2 miles south of Shopiere. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 12.—J. Lehmann, one mile east of Harmony town hall. W. F. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 12.—Fred Morrison, Evansville. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 12.—Harry Miller, R. F. D. 4 Janesville. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 12.—John Richmond, Avon. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 13.—Archie Arnold, 4 miles east of Orfordville on Affton road. A. Arnold, auctioneer.

February 13.—Thos. Kneeland, four miles north of Janesville, Town Line road. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 14.—A. Koppell, 2 miles southwest of Footville. John Ryan, auctioneer.

February 14.—Eric Thoreson, 7 miles northwest of Beloit on Rte. 27. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 14.—L. A. Makow, 2 1/2 miles east of Albany. Popanz & Partridge, auctioneers.

February 14.—Bert Lay, Evansville. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 14.—Chas. Mackeprang, Evansville. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 14.—L. A. Ross, auctioneer.

February 14.—James Hay, Avon. R. F. D. No. 4. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 15.—B. E. Hughes, 2 miles west of Janesville, town line road. John Ryan, auctioneer.

February 15.—Herman Lipke, Milton R. F. D. 15. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 15.—Lynn Smoot, 3 miles north of Albany. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 15.—Fred Shutt, 5 miles east of Evansville on R. F. D. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 16.—Richard Sterns, Rte. 4, Janesville. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 16.—Gunder Fosmoen, 7 miles east of Beloit on Rte. 31. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 17.—Barton S. Malkow, Albany. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 17.—Chas. McKoen, Janesville. R. F. D. No. 4. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 18.—Arthur Churchill, 2 miles northwest of Leyden. John Ryan, auctioneer.

February 20.—Chas. Crompton, Rte. 6, Brochard. P. T. More, auctioneer.

February 20.—Ed. Hall, Evansville. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 20.—F. J. Blakely, 5 miles south-east of Evansville. Rte. No. 17. John Ryan, auctioneer.

February 20.—William Lipke, Milton R. F. D. 15. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 21.—Michael Holden, 5 miles east of Evansville. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 21.—Mawhinney, Milton R. F. D. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 21.—Good and Girsey, seven miles north of Beloit, river road. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 22.—Ed. Keegan, 7 miles southeast of Evansville. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

February 22.—Cal Pink, 6 miles south of Janesville. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 22.—W. M. Smiley, Albany. Rte. 1. Col. Cunningham & F. Y. Popanz, auctioneers.

February 23.—C. H. Mosher, Janesville. R. F. D. No. 1. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 23.—Fred Berns, 1 1/2 miles east of Footville. John Ryan, auctioneer.

February 23.—Wm. Schmidt, 2 miles east of Clinton. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 23.—Wm. Winley, 1 mile north of Johnstown. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 24.—B. E. Hanks, Edgerton. R. F. D. No. 1. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer.

February 24.—Harvey Wood, 4 1/2 miles north of Beloit. Fred Taves, auctioneer.

February 27.—Carl Lutz, 4 miles north of Janesville. D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

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## PLANS TO REGULATE THE ART OF BEGGING

Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—The art of begging will be regulated. It will be made subject to some restrictions. The man who pretends that he is blind, deaf, dumb, or lame, for the purpose of securing money at begging will face a jail sentence if the Skokmo bill, which has just been favorably recommended by the senate judiciary committee, is enacted into law.

The measure provides that any person engaged in soliciting, or attempting to solicit, or procuring anything of value by falsely pretending to be blind, deaf, dumb, without arms or legs, or to be otherwise physically deficient, or to be otherwise suffering from any physical defect or infirmity, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than ninety days or by a fine of not more than \$100 or by both imprisonment and fine.

Senator Skokmo declares that the public would be astounded to know of the number of persons who live on the public yet who are as well as the ordinary people. He thinks that his measure will curb the activities of some of these operators.

The graves of Wisconsin governors in Forest Hill cemetery should be properly cared for is the idea presented in a bill offered by Senator Henry Huber of Juneau county. Two years ago, Senator Huber secured the enactment of a law to erect a monument over the grave of the late William R. Taylor, who served as executive following Civil war times. At this session Senator Huber has offered a bill appropriating to the city of Madison the sum of \$200 as a trust fund, the income of which shall be used for the perpetual maintenance and care of the graves of Gov. J. H. Harvey and William R. Taylor, former governors of Wisconsin. The city of Madison maintains a trust fund for the care of graves and the interest on this fund is deemed sufficient to pay all expenses.

## NEW CIGARETTE LAW BANS PAPERS' SALE

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—That a determined fight will be made to place the anti-cigarette law back on the statute books is indicated by the statement of Assemblyman H. J. Grell of Johnson Creek, who says that he feels sorry over the fact that he voted for a repeal of the law two years ago. The fight for an anti-cigarette bill in Wisconsin was waged a number of years ago by the late Senator H. P. Bird of Milwaukee. Assemblyman Grell bases his change of mind on the fact that while the law might have been repealed, there are many little boys now smoking cigarettes that never dared to when the prohibitive statute was in effect.

The Grell bill provides that any person who shall directly or indirectly or upon any pretense offer for sale, give away or bring into the state for the purpose of sale, cigarettes shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. The bill likewise prohibits the offering of cigarette papers for sale. For the first offense a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding thirty days may be imposed; for subsequent offenses a fine of not from \$100 to \$500 may be imposed. The measure specifically provides that its provisions shall not apply to the sales of jobbers or manufacturers doing interstate business with customers outside of this state.

Assemblyman Campbell has offered a bill which makes it the duty of the school board to adopt from a list of text books furnished by the state superintendent the books which the school is to use. When so adopted such school books cannot be changed for five years. School districts are authorized to purchase out of the fund of the district text books from the publishers at the price fixed with the state superintendent.

Old Indian Bows.

The bows of the North American Indians were usually made from a species of orange.

## Black Siberian Hares and Other "Fur Rabbits."

The United States department of agriculture during the past few months has received many inquiries regarding the merits of certain rabbits that have been extensively advertised as fur producers. Replies to such inquiries have stated that the demand for rabbit fur is such as to make it pay to save the pelts of domestic rabbits which are to be used for fur, but that raising rabbits for the fur alone would be unprofitable with any known breed. Some facts about the trade in rabbit skins will be of interest in this connection. More skins of rabbits are collected and sold annually than of all other fur animals combined. Before the present war, Great Britain imported each year from 700,000 to 800,000 skins, while the home production added 200,000 more. The imported supply came from Australia and the rest from European countries, Russia, Germany, the United States, and other countries also use large quantities of this fur. The bulk of it is sold in bales, bringing from 10 cents to 25 cents per pound, depending on the quality. The better class of skins sold by the dozen, bringing from 25 cents to \$1, that is, less than 10 cents each.

Good rabbit furs are bought largely for fitting purposes, the fur being made into cloth or coarse hats, while the skins are utilized for manufacturing gloves. Fur hats are made of mink, fox, and rabbit, and the latter is the most common. The fur of the common wild rabbits of America does not felt well and is in slight demand. White skins of these animals are sold for more than 10 cents each.

The better kinds of rabbit skins are used for making fur garments, which, when made up, are commonly known as "coonies," but often under other trade names. White skins are made up in imitation of Arctic fox, or sheared, in imitation of ermine. Gray rabbits are dyed brown or black and the fur is called "black fox" or "brown fox," respectively, they become "Inland seal," "electric seal," "coast seal," or "near seal." Reputable furriers avoid such names, or if they use them, frankly explain that the goods are coney or rabbit. These garments, while handsome and comfortable, have little durability and are therefore cheap.

Statements to the effect that certain breeds of rabbits produce pelts of high market value are unwarranted. The long-haired breeds, such as the Angora and the Siberian (both of which animals have been bred in this country), are well set in the skins. The short-haired varieties are much alike as to strength of pelts, but vary considerably in color. The English black, and white, and striking colors that might appeal to the fancy of individual wearers of fur garments, but they are denied.

## ELKHORN

Elkhorn, Feb. 7.—Two of Elkhorn's oldest residents died today. P. Davis, aged eighty-two, and his sister, Mrs. Brigham, aged eighty-five. Both have been residents of Walworth county for a number of years. Mr. Davis lived in Port Arkison for a number of years, then moved to a farm in the town of Richmond, Walworth county. Mr. Davis was well known in Walworth county, having been superintendent of the county farm for twenty years. He has lived in Elkhorn for the last fifteen years. Both persons will be buried in Port Arkison.

E. J. Loan of Elkhorn left for St. Petersburg, Florida, today. He will remain in Florida the rest of the winter.

A number of farmers in the vicinity are at Madison today attending the annual meeting of the Farmers' Co-operative Packing association of Madison.

Charles Fountain, Sam Foster, Howard Chaffin, James Mason, Oscar Jacobson and Elmer Cobb returned today from Madison where they have been attending the hog show at the university.

A large number of Masons from Elkhorn are to visit the lodge at Delavan tonight. Work in the third degree is on the program.

J. C. Frey of the town of Geneva sold a number of steers today for nine cents a pound.

The State Low Distance Telephone company of Elkhorn had its annual meeting today. Charles Wiswell was elected president; E. J. Hooper, vice-president; George Reuter, treasurer; and H. H. Stubbs, secretary.

## EXPLAINING THE TELEGRAPH

Headman of Village in Bosnia Relieves Perplexity of His People When They See New Wonder.

As a general rule, the telegraph no longer arouses the wonder and awe that it did in our grandfathers. In remote countries, however, there are still people who have never heard it, or who are unable to understand it. The following is a story of the perplexity that the telegraph caused in a small village of Bosnia.

The government had installed a telegraph line from Prijedor to Biharsch. "What is the meaning of this wire?" asked the astonished inhabitants of a village through which the line happened to pass.

"It's a telegraph," said the headman of the village, who had been in consultation with the officials. "One can send a message along this wire, straight from here to Stamboul."

The villagers were incredulous. "That is impossible. How can a message run along a wire?"

The headman thought for a while; then he hit upon the proper explanation. "Imagine," he said, "a dog that is terribly long, and whose tail is stretched like the wire on these poles; imagine that his tail is so long that he reaches from here to Stamboul. Now, suppose we plucked his tail here. Wouldn't he howl in Stamboul?"

And the villagers understood.

Jack McGuigan and Harry Edwards, prominent rival Philadelphia promoters, will have hot competition if a plan on foot materializes. Nick Hayes and Dick Kahn, Philadelphia newspaper men, plan to lease the Commercial Exposition building, in which Philadelphia's big auto show was recently held, to promote bouts. They have offered Benny Leonard \$3,000 to box Johnny Kilbane in the star bout of the first show.

He entered the ring in that capacity against Johnny Dundee. Dundee's contract probably called for three times the amount in Jackson's contract. Jackson planted a sleep-producing right on Dundee's ring and the miracle happened. Dundee was knocked out. Jackson became champion with a punch. Now note the effect. A Milwaukee promoter wired Jackson's manager for terms a few days ago. Jackson's manager wouldn't win a prize for modesty. All he asked was \$4,000 with the privilege of 40 per cent of the gate receipts.

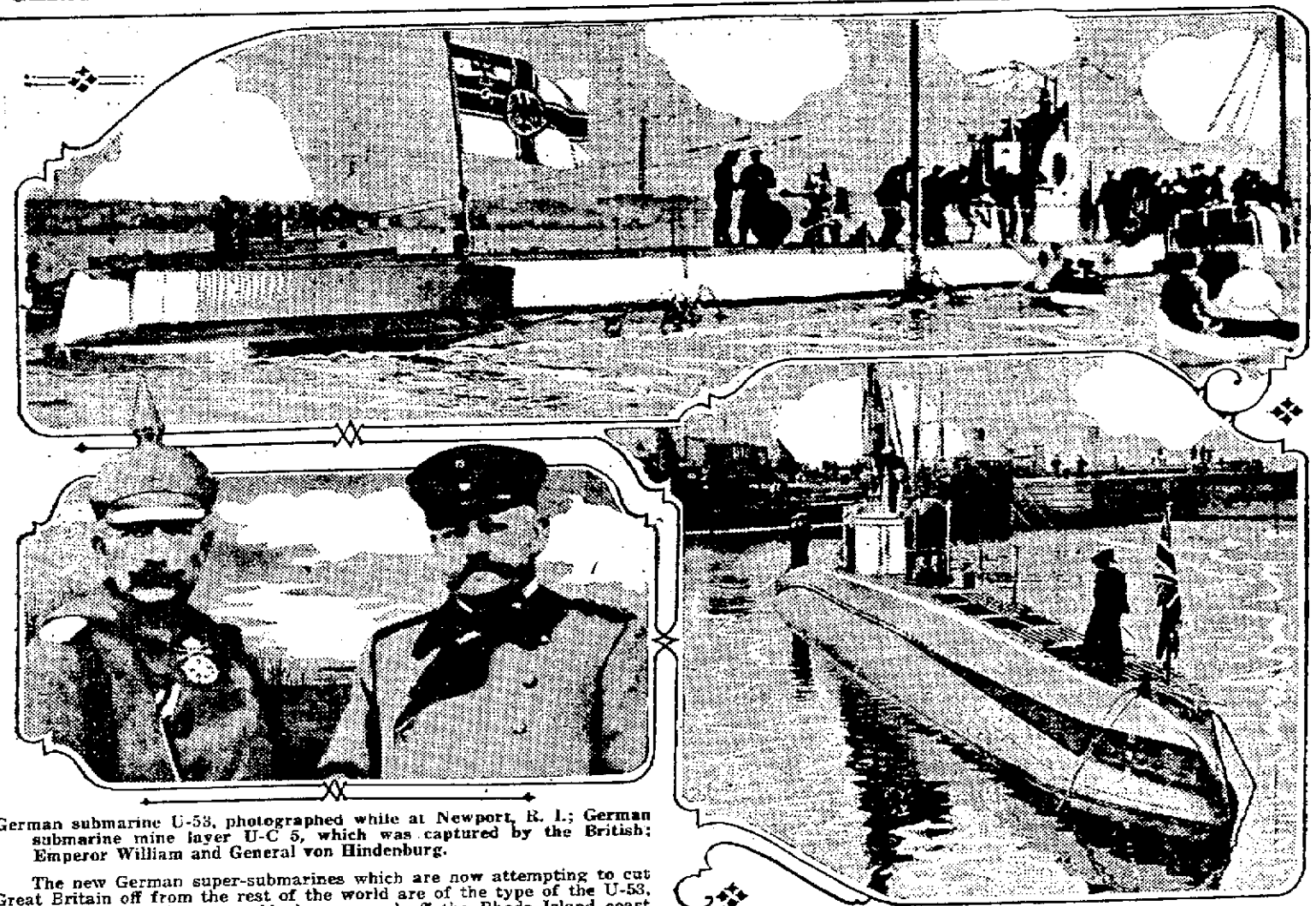
Not popular in the fur trade. Skins of piebald rabbits of any shade sell for less than those of solid colors. There is also a difference in quality of fur between hutch rabbits and those kept in the open, the latter having the better pelts.

Besides exaggerated statements as to the value of fur, advertisements of fur rabbits contain totally false claims as to the origin of animals offered for sale. This practice is not a new one, for about 80 years ago, when the poor walking rabbit was first introduced into England, the statement that it originated in the Himalayan Mountains was believed by a fellow of the Zoological society of London, who described and named the animal in the society's journal as a new species. Rabbits recently advertised as fur animals are said to have been imported directly from Siberia in one instance, and from Mongolia in another. The further statement that the animals exist in these countries in a wild state is advanced. As a matter of fact, well known to furriers, a wild rabbit is scarce in any country, and the few species of hares found there are small gray animals that turn white in winter. The support of the fanciful testimony of an unknown animal dealer who claims to have resided in Siberia and to have observed the animals in the wild state does not help the case.

So far as the "black Siberian hare" is concerned, any breeder of rabbits can readily identify the animal at first sight. They are undoubtedly the common European rabbit of the Flemish giant breed. In this variety black is a constantly recurring color, and sometimes appears among litters of the purest bred strain. These black individuals are usually regarded by fanciers as undesirable and are discarded. However, if the stock be chosen for reproduction, a black strain of Flemish giants is obtained in which bluish gray individuals recur from time to time, as several breeds in the United States have proved. Such a strain of Flemish giants is now offered as a new species imported directly from Siberia, a country without rabbits unless carried there as domestic animals.

It is not to be inferred, however, that black Flemish giant rabbits have no fur value. On the contrary, owing to their great size and solid color, the skins will probably sell for more than those of most other breeds. All known breeds of domestic rabbits belong to a single species, the European rabbit, whether it is known as Flemish giant, hares, Flemish giant, Siberian, Himalayan, Dutch, Japanese, Kai-Gai or any other name, and the public is to pay any of them upon the same basis as a species imported from a foreign country, no matter how long it has been in the world not inhabited by rabbits is wholly unwarranted and to be severely condemned.

## GERMAN SUPER-SUBMARINE; UNDERSEA MINE LAYER; MEN WHO PLANNED NEW WARFARE



German submarine U-53, photographed while at Newport, R. I.; German submarine mine layer U-C 5, which was captured by the British; Emperor William and General von Hindenburg.

The new German super-submarines which are now attempting to cut Great Britain off from the rest of the world are of the type of the U-53, which several months ago suddenly appeared off the Rhode Island coast and destroyed several allied and neutral vessels, making good her escape.

## BLACKS IN PROTEST OF MARRIAGE BILL

Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—The colored representatives from Milwaukee and other sections of the state came here in numbers yesterday to protest before the senate committee on judiciary against the passage of the Bennett bill prohibiting the marriage of whites and blacks. Although a large contingent was present, only three addresses were made. The principal argument against the bill was made by Attorney G. H. DeRefe of Milwaukee. Former Assemblyman L. H. Palmer of Milwaukee and J. A. Josey, Madison, also spoke in opposition to the bill.

"This is but a step in the encouragement of legislation of this character," said Attorney DeRefe. "Wisconsin should not permit it. If this bill is enacted into law, it will be followed at other sessions of the legislature by Jim Crow bills and Jim Crow theaters." Mr. DeRefe said that some of the greatest men in the country were of black and white extraction. He pointed to Alexander Dumas, the author, to Booker T. Washington, the late southern educator, and to Frederick Douglass, who helped to down slavery. He said that he believed that all races should be permitted to marry according to their own choice. If the bill were meant to protect the white race, he thought that amendment could be offered which would prohibit the white race from marrying the mongolian and many other European nationalities.

Former Assemblyman Palmer said

there were over thirty families in Milwaukee where either the mother or the father were a black and that such legislation would point the finger of scorn at their children. He said that among these thirty families there had never been a divorce or never been a police court record.

J. A. Josey of Madison said that the black man had been brought to America against his will; that he had been emancipated by the whites and now this race should not attempt to enslave them further.

Objects to Love.

What a blessing it is to love books. Everybody must love something, and I know of no objects of love that give such substantial and unfailing returns as books and gardens.—Betina von Hutton.

Origin of a Song. The grumbling of a negro groom led to the composition of the immortal "Old Folks at Home." While waiting for a change of horses at a Kentucky hostelry the composer, Stephen Foster, author of so many beloved dark melodies, heard a melancholy negro murmur as he threw a set of harness to the ground: "It's sick an' tired o' dis life. I wish I was back wif de ole folks at home." "Where may that be, Sam?" asked Foster. "Oh," answered the darker, "way down on de Suwannee river." The result was the song as we have it today.

Read the Want Ads.

## CAN BUILD HUNDRED AEROPLANES A WEEK

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] New York, Feb. 8.—Aeroplane manufacturers of the United States can turn out 100 machines a week, and if urgent necessity arises, from 200 to 300 a week, it was announced today. A resolution adopted by the Aero Club of America, which was sent to Washington today, asks that the proposed congressional appropriation for army aerial preparedness be increased to \$50,000,000. The club estimates the cost and equipment of ground at \$30,000,000 and the cost of 2,000 planes at \$30,000,000. Young men seeking service in the aviation section are applying at the Aero club, but most of them are without previous experience as flyers. However, their applications are being considered.

## GIRL IN GALLANT BATTLE TO SAVE BROTHER'S NECK



Eva Lewis, sister of Ora Lewis, who is under sentence of death for the murder of Motorcycle Policeman McKenna of St. Louis, Mo., is bending every effort to save her brother from the gallows. She announced she would appeal Governor Gardner to have him set aside the sentence of death. The girl is a cabaret singer.

If you are looking for bargains, read the Want Ads.

## MADDEN & RAE

13 W. Milwaukee Street

Three Doors from the Bridge

BARGAINS IN LARGE NUMBERS AWAIT YOU DURING OUR

## Final Clearance of Winter Stocks

### IN AND ABOUT THE STORE

When you have become acquainted with the policy of this store, and we hope it will not be in the too far distant future, you will find that "Truth in Advertising" is a slogan of ours just as important as "High Quality Merchandise."

The day is past when a merchant, who hopes to grow, can mislead the people by print or word of mouth. It is just as dishonest to lie in an advertisement as it is to lie to your face. We value your patronage too highly for that, for patronage must be built upon confidence if a store is to succeed.

Our final clearance of winter merchandise is right now getting a good headway. It is worth price concessions to us to clean up present stocks in anticipation of the coming season.

### SPRING STYLES ARRIVING

Every day brings in new spring merchandise. We are not going to say much about them until our store has been made into a proper setting for these handsome things. As you undoubtedly know, we are doubling our floor space by taking over the second floor of our building.



### You Can Save Money Buying These Coats

Formerly	Now
\$40.00 Coats	\$20.00
\$37.50 Coats	\$18.75
\$32.50 Coats	\$16.50
\$30.00 Coats	\$15.00
\$25.00 Coats	\$12.50
\$17.50 Coats	\$ 8.75
\$15.00 Coats	\$ 7.50
\$13.98 Coats	\$ 6.99
\$12.00 Coats	\$ 6.00
\$10.00 Coats	\$ 5.00
\$ 7.98 Coats	\$ 3.99

### Children's Coats at Half Price

\$15 Coats now	\$7.50
\$12 Coats now	\$6.00
\$11 Coats now	\$5.50
\$10 Coats now	\$5.00
\$9 Coats now	\$4.50
\$8.50 Coats, now	\$4.25
\$7.50 Coats now	\$3.75
\$6 Coats now	\$3.00
\$5 Coats now	\$2.50
\$3.50 Coats now	\$1.75
\$2.25 Coats now	\$1.13



## SPLENDID BLANKETS AT CLEARANCE PRICES

Gray Cotton Blankets, some slightly soiled, formerly sold for \$2.49, clearance price	\$1.89
Wool Nap Blankets, extra good weight, in two sizes. 72x84, formerly sold at \$3.98, clearance price	\$2.95
66x80, formerly sold at \$3.75, clearance price	\$2.89
All Wool Heavy Blankets, 68x80, formerly sold at \$5.50, clearance price	\$4.49

All Wool Heavy Plaid Blankets, 72x80, formerly sold at \$6.50, clearance price	\$5.49
Some of these slightly soiled special at	\$4.98
Splendid All Wool Plaid Blankets, 72x84, formerly sold at \$10, a few at a clearance of	\$8.19
Indian Blankets, excellent for couch covers, were \$2.25, clearance price	\$1.69
Children's Crib Blankets, slightly soiled, now	19c

### Clearance of Underwear

Ladies' and Men's Union Suits and separate garments at clearance prices. Ladies' Fleece Union Suits with high neck and long sleeves, and in all sizes: 50c garments, clearance price at .39c 75c garments, clearance price at .49c Separate garments, all wool, formerly sold at from \$1.25 to \$1.75, clearance price .98c Children's All Wool Drawers, in all sizes, formerly sold at from 59c to 75c, clearance price .39c Children's Vests, mostly large size, also .39c Men's All Wool Union Suits, former price \$3.50, clearance price \$2.95 Men's \$1.25 Underwear now .69c

### Fancy Sateen Petticoats

One lot of fancy Sateen Petticoats, formerly sold at \$1.48 and 98c, special for a clearance, choice .89c

### Outing Flannels

12 1/2c Outing Flannels .10c All colors in light and dark outings are included in this clearance. A nice assortment of checks and plaids. Were 12 1/2c, now .10c

### Curtain Materials

We have a quantity of curtain materials that are slightly soiled on the edges. The prices quoted will more than pay for the laundering. 25c figured net and fancy bordered scrim, yd. .16c 25c hemstitched scrim, yd. .18c 18c Scrim with tiny edge, yd. .13c 15c net, small figured border, yd. .9c 15c scrim, flowered border, yd. .12 1/2c 10c scrim, flowered border, yd. .8c

### A Wind-Up of Sweaters

Sweaters, formerly \$5.50, now \$3.79 Sweaters formerly \$4.50, now \$2.98 Sweaters formerly \$3.50, now \$2.19 Sweaters formerly \$1.25, now .98c CHILDREN'S GRAY, RED AND WHITE SWEATERS. Sweaters formerly \$1.25, now .98c Sweaters formerly \$1.00, now .79c Sweaters formerly 75c, now .49c

### Two-Piece Winter Sport Sets

Various styles of Sport Sets, consisting of Scarf and Cap. Very popular for school girls. Sport Sets formerly \$1.00, now .69c Sport Sets formerly \$1.25, now .83c Sport Sets formerly \$1.50, now \$1.00 Sport Sets formerly \$2.25, now \$1.50